

## Message Text

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C O N F I D E N T I A L TOKYO 16305

ATTN: EA/J

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: CPAS, EAIR, JA, PINS  
SUBJECT: GOJ REQUEST FOR INFORMATION ON US PASSPORTS MISSING  
FROM JAL HIJACKING

REF: TOKYO 16002

1. FONOFF HAS RENEWED ITS REQUEST FOR ANY INFORMATION  
AVAILABLE ON US PASSPORTS WHICH MIGHT BE MISSING FOLLOWING  
JAL HIJACKING EARLIER THIS MONTH. GOJ HAS COME UNDER SOME  
CRITICISM DURING DIET INTERPELLATIONS FOR ITS OWN HANDLING  
OF PASSPORTS AND NEEDS INFORMATION TO DETERMINE PRECISELY  
WHAT PASSPORTS JAPANESE RED ARMY HIJACKERS MAY NOW HAVE  
IN THEIR POSSESSION.

2. APPRECIATE RESPONSE TO REFTEL SOONEST.  
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## Message Attributes

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